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USDA FOR WILLIAM CARAS AND G. STANLEY BROWN

DEPT FOR A/FBO AND EUR/EX

- 1. PRESENT LEASE S-47-FBO-90 RESIDENCE OF AGRICULTURAL ATTACHE EXPIRING JANUARY 31, 1976- NOT RENEWABLE. ATTACHE NOW MOVING INTO U.S. GOVERNMENT APARTMENT TEMPORARILY.
- 2. EMBASSY SUBMITS FOLLOWING INFORMATION SUPPORTING PROPOSAL NEW 30 YEAR LEASE ON NEW RESIDENCE FOR ATTACHE.

DESCRIPTION; UNFURNISHED TWO STORY VILLA WITH PARTIALLY ELEVATED BASEMENT AND TWO ROOMS IN ATTIC AREA. GROUND FLOOR INCLUDES: LARGE ENTRY HALL, SPACIOUS LIVING ROOM, DINING ROOM, KITCHEN, PANTRY AND W.C. WITH SHOWER ADJOING KITCHEN AND POWDER ROOM OFF ENTRY. UPPER FLOOR: FOUR BEDROOMS, TWO AND A HALF BATHS. BASEMENT INCLUDES, GARAGE FOR ONE CAR; LAUNDRY ROOM, IRONING ROOM, ROOM WITH BATH FOR DOMESTICS.

- 3. AREA LOCATION: TWO BLOCKS FROM AMERICAN AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE AND ON THE SAME STREET OF BRITISH AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE.
- A. LOCATION: BRANKA COROVICA NO.6, BELGRADE
- B. USEABLE NET SQUARE FOOTAGE IS 4520 SP.FT.
- C. GROUND PLOT, RECTANGULAR IN SHAPE, INCLUDES 17495 SQ. FT.
- D. HOUSE WAS BUILT IN 1936 AND IS TRUCTURALLY SOUND. AT PRESENT,

HOUSE IS OCCUPIED BY FOUR FAMILIES AND NUMEROUS PARTITIONS MUST BE

REMOVED AND GENERAL REHABILITATION OF THE HOUSA IS NECESSARY

BEFORE OCCUPANY. HOUSE AVAILABLE WHEN PRESENT OCCUPANTS

RELOCATE.

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4. COST FACTORS:

A. RENTAL FOR 30 YEARS AT \$476.46 PER MONTH TIMES 360 EQUALS \$171,525.

B. GENERAL REHABILITATION

ESTIMATED COST INITIAL REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS \$40,000 SCOPE: RESTORE INTERIOR TO ORIGINAL PLAN AND UPGRADE INSTALLATIONS WHERE NECESSARY AND REPAINT EXTERIOR. TOTAL COST PAYABLE IN ADVANCE \$211,525.

5. MODE OF PAYMENT

A. PAYMENT IN DINARS: 80 PERCENT OF LEASE COST

B. BALANCE IN DOLLARS

6. VIEW SCARCITY GENUINE REPRESENTATIONAL HOUSING IN BELGRADE EMBASSY STRONGLY RECOMMENDS ACCEPTANCE OWNER'S PROPOSAL. THE RATE FOR THIS RESIDENCE IS HALF CURRENT GOING RATE FOR LESS ATRACTIVE HOUSES. URGENT APPROVAL RECOMMENDED.

7. COPY PLANS REQUIRED 6 FAM BEING FORWARDED TO A/FBO AND USDA. SUPPORTING COST DATA RENOVATIONS WILL FOLLOW IF PROPOSAL APPROVED.

8. OWNER: ALEKSANDAR DJORDJEVIC, ADDRESS PER PARA 3(A), AGREEABLE TERMS LONG-TERM LEASE.

9. ADVISE IMMEDIATELY AS THIS PROPERTY WILL NOT REMAIN LONG ON CURRENT MARKET. SILBERMAN

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